ValueTek™ - 360° IT Assessment and Modernization

At the heart of everything we do at TekNirvana is the core belief that an IT system isn't just technology for technology's sake. Our IT assessment is a comprehensive and thorough review of a your organization's technology systems and environment to appraise how the technology helps or hinders your core business/mission objectives and make practical recommendations on how to better leverage technology to meet your business/mission goals and objectives. Our assessments can be focused on a specific area of IT or as broad as necessary to include business processes, applications, data, infrastructure (networks, servers, storage, etc.), and organization/people.

ValueTek by TekNirvana is a mature and proven IT Assessment and Modernization framework that is designed to help organizations ensure that they derive *optimum* value from their current and future IT investments.

ValueTek consists of <u>five</u> processes areas broken up into <u>two</u> groups:

Assessment Processes - These consist of the top three chevrons - Initiation, Planning, and Assessment - and focus on evaluating the current use of technology to achieve business/mission objectives as well as making recommendations on technology improvements and investments.

Modernization Processes - These consist of the bottom two chevrons - Proof-of-Concept and Implementation - and focus on prototyping recommendations in sandbox environments, learning from these, documenting lessons-learned, and creating implementation cookbooks. Modernization builds upon the work done during the Assessment processes. We leverage our **Tek-Inova**™ methodology to evaluate assessment recommendations and our **NirvanaOps**™ framework to support Continuous Development, QA, and Deployment of approved and validated recommendations.

Initiation
- Identify Stakeholders
- Develop Project Charter – Assumptions, Constraints, Schedule/Milestones, Success Criteria

Planning
- Understand Business/Mission
- Gain agreement on scope, milestones, deliverables, and timelines
- Identify and Collect Information, SMEs, etc.
- Create Project Plan (includes Schedule, Communications Plan, Resources, etc.)

Assessment
- Phase 1: Review, Evaluate, and Document:
  - Business Process
  - Applications, Data, & Technology
  - Organization & People
- Phase 2: Analyze Gaps (Regulations, Reqs., Best Practices)
- Phase 3: Make Recommendations/Roadmap

Proof-of-Concept (Tek-Inova™)
- POC Charter & Stakeholders
- Gain agreement on scope, milestones, deliverables, and timelines
- Plan and execute POC sprints
- Refine Recommendations/Roadmap – Tools, Technologies, Platforms, Skills, Timelines, etc.

Implementation (NirvanaOps™)
- Select Recommendations to implement
- Create Implementation Plan (includes Schedule, Communications Plan, Resources, etc.)
- Plan and execute implementation sprints
- Manage continuous development, QA, and deployment using the NirvanaOps™ framework

Maximize Your Business Value from IT with ValueTek™

ValueTek offers a full range of IT assessment and modernization services, including:

- Evaluating if technology is helping or hindering meet business/mission goals
- Ensuring that technology and security are in compliance with government guidelines and best practices
- Providing an investment roadmap for improving technology use
- Prototyping recommendations in an agile manner
- Implementing modernization strategies using DevOps principles

View the complete solution and toolset, other comprehensive solutions, and much more at TekNirvana.com

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